

**Agenda for Massachusetts Global Warming Solutions Act
Buildings Group Public Meeting
July 13, 2009**

Goals for Today's Discussion:

- Provide context
- Solicit ideas that complement ongoing efforts to reduce GHG emissions from buildings

PART I—CONTEXT (30 minutes)

1. Introduction and Overview of Global Warming Solutions Act and the Buildings Working Group (10 minutes)
2. Reducing GHG Emissions from Buildings - The Policy and Program Starting Point (20 minutes)
 - ZNEB Task Force (10 minutes)
 - Utility-Run Energy Efficiency Programs (5 minutes)
 - Efforts to Strengthen Building Codes or Improve Code Compliance (5 minutes)

PART II—DISCUSSION OF IDEAS: What complementary strategies, policies, programs, etc., would reduce GHG emissions associated with buildings? (90 minutes)

1. Existing Buildings (30 minutes)
 - What other strategies, policies, programs, etc. would complement ongoing efforts to reduce GHG emissions from buildings?
 - How should we prioritize?
2. New Buildings (30 minutes)
 - What other strategies, policies, programs, etc. would complement ongoing efforts to reduce GHG emissions from buildings?
 - How should we prioritize?
 - How can we address “oversized” buildings?
3. Operations/Behavior (30 minutes)
 - How can we incentivize/facilitate energy-efficient operations in commercial buildings?
 - How can we incentivize/facilitate “GHG-reducing” behavior in residential buildings?